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"I swore never to be silent whenever and wherever human beings endure suffering and humiliation. We must take sides. Neutrality helps the oppressor, never the victim. Silence encourages the tormentor, never the tormented." — Eli Wiesel

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Upcoming Events

To register for any event, please click on the individual event link. All events have specific rsvp links and/or other important details that may apply to your registration.

- Monthly Climate Change Briefing
January 11 – Conference Call
- Diversifying the Outdoors and National Lands
January 12 – Webinar
- *NEW* Amending the EAB: Impacts on Communities and Governance
February 2 – Webinar
- *NEW* Monthly Climate Change Briefing
February 8 – Conference Call

Suggestions for seminars? Email [Caitlin McCarthy](mailto:Caitlin.McCarthy@epa.gov)



A Holiday Break

The newsletter will be on holiday for the week of December 28th. Updates will resume in the new year, on Monday, January 4th.

Nominations Closing!

Submit your nomination for ELI's 32nd Annual National Wetlands Awards! Nominations are due December 23rd.

Recent Seminar Recordings/Materials

- ***NEW*** The Biden Administration: Climate and the Environment at a Critical Juncture
- ***NEW*** Consultation, Collaboration, or Just Checking a Box? Indigenous Sovereignty in Canada, Colombia, and the United States
- ***NEW*** Single-Use Plastics and the Pandemic
- ***NEW*** Monthly Climate Change Briefing: December 2020
- ***NEW*** Marine Spatial Planning Legislation: A Guide to Leveraging the Law for Better Marine Management and Protection
- Remarkable Cities and the Fight Against Climate Change

More recordings are available to **ELI Members** at the ELI Events Archive page. To view materials/recordings via the events archive page, be sure to log in at <https://www.eli.org/just-for-members>.

ELI Vibrant Environment Blog new posts:

- **EPA at Its 50th Anniversary: Remembering the Early Days**
- **Reasserting Tribal Forest Management Under Good Neighbor Authority**

ELI Alerts: *New postings*

Timely expert analysis on environmental law and policy issues published by ELI's Professional Program firms. For these and additional alerts, log in and visit <https://www.eli.org/news/alerts> :

- Dec. 18, Baker – DOE and FERC Take Action to Protect the Bulk Power System
- Dec. 18, Baker – SEC Adopts New Final Rules on Disclosure of Governmental Payments by Certain Oil, Natural Gas and Mining Companies
- Dec. 18, Beveridge – Outlook for Environmental Issues in the Biden Administration
- Dec. 18, Bick – Clean Air Act: The Status of EPA's Methane Regulation Rollbacks and Associated Litigation
- Dec. 18, Hunton – Florida Receives EPA Approval to Assume Clean Water Act Section 404 Program
- Dec. 18, K&L Gates – When Water Rights Evaporate: U.S. Supreme Court Issues Decision in Texas v. New Mexico
- Dec. 18, Latham – UK to Establish Net Zero Emissions Trading Scheme
- Dec. 18, Perkins – US Fish and Wildlife Service Adopts New Regulation for Critical Habitat Exclusions
- Dec. 18, Pillsbury – Biden Clean Energy Plan—An Ambitious Climate Agenda Arrives
- Dec. 18, Wilmer – Ukraine's Reduction in Renewable Energy Feed-In Tariffs: A Preview of Coming Disputes
- Dec. 17, Babst – U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Finalizes "Habitat" Definition under Endangered Species Act
- Dec. 17, Bergeson – Final Risk Evaluation for Perchloroethylene Finds 59 Conditions of Use Pose Unreasonable Risks to Workers, ONUs, Consumers, and Bystanders
- Dec. 17, Bracewell – City of Houston Tightens Local Hazardous Materials Regulations
- Dec. 17, DLA Piper – Climate change convergence? The potential for global collaboration following China's momentous announcement
- Dec. 17, Greenberg – **TRANSITION THOUGHTS: What Clean Air Act**

ELI People Places Planet Podcasts:

- ***NEW*** **The Enforcement Angle: NJ DEP's Catherine McCabe**
- **Reviving Regulatory Rationality**
- **Integrating Climate Change into the Law School Curriculum: A Conversation with Prof. Warren G. Lavey**

Permittees Should Track in the Biden Administration

- Dec. 17, K&L Gates – NMFS Demands More Mitigation for Nearshore Projects in the Puget Sound Region
- Dec. 17, Nossaman – Monarch Placed on Candidate List
- Dec. 17, O'Melveny – The Environmental Protection Agency Misses the Deadline for Setting Renewable Fuel Standards for 2021
- Dec. 17, Sidley – EPA Draft PFAS Guidance Would Subject Range of Articles to Significant New Use Rule
- Dec. 17, Vinson – EPA Inspector General to Evaluate Environmental Compliance Monitoring during the COVID-19 Pandemic
- Dec. 16, Bergeson – Important Changes to Annex II to REACH Come into Force January 1, 2021
- Dec. 16, Beveridge – Seattle Expands Energy Efficiency as a Service Program
- Dec. 16, Holland – Massachusetts Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems Permit Finalized
- Dec. 16, Hunton – EPA Releases Long-Awaited IRIS Handbook, But has Anything Changed?
- Dec. 16, K&L Gates – Water Resource Considerations for the Hydrogen Economy
- Dec. 16, Keller – EPA Releases Fall 2020 Regulatory Agenda, Forecasting a Busy Year Ahead for TSCA
- Dec. 16, Nossaman – Federal Wildlife Agencies Release Final Rule Defining “Habitat”
- Dec. 16, Perkins – New Regulation Defines the Term “Habitat” Under the Endangered Species Act
- Dec. 16, Vinson – Introduction to Renewable Fuels
- Dec. 16, Wiley – EPA's Recent Clean Water Act Guidance to Implement the Supreme Court's Maui Decision
- Dec. 16, Wiley – Now Is the Time for Companies to Prepare for EPA's Final Rules to Restrict Certain PBT Chemicals
- Dec. 16, Wilmer – EPA Publishes Draft Guidance on Applying Supreme Court's Decision in County of Maui v. Hawaii Wildlife Fund
- Dec. 15, Alston – California Legislature Recycles Single-Use Plastics Regime
- Dec. 15, Barnes – EPA Issues Draft Guidance on NPDES Permitting For Groundwater
- Dec. 15, Bergeson – EPA Releases Final Risk Evaluation for Perchloroethylene, Finds Almost All Conditions of Use Present Unreasonable Risks to Workers, ONUs, Consumers, and Bystanders
- Dec. 15, Bick – EPA's Groundwater Guidance Is Vague, Not Likely To Be Finalized
- Dec. 15, Holland – EPA Memo Confirms Pending NPDES Plan to Monitor PFAS
- Dec. 15, Nossaman – Recap of the Election's Potential Legislative Impacts on the Water Sector
- Dec. 15, Perkins – What Will Clean Energy Look Like in the Biden Administration?
- Dec. 15, Venable – Arlington County Board Updates Green Building Incentive Policy
- Dec. 14, Babst – U.S. EPA Issues Draft Guidance Regarding the “Functional Equivalent” Test for Point Source Discharges to Surface Water Through Groundwater
- Dec. 14, Bergeson – EPA Publishes Draft Compliance Guide Addressing Surface Coatings under PFAS SNUR
- Dec. 14, DLA Piper – Climate activism: Status check and opportunities for public companies

Jobs

Employment & Fellowship Opportunities:

For more on the employment opportunities listed below, log in and visit [the Jobs Bulletin Board](#). **Want to hire** an environmental law or policy professional? Send your job links to newsletter@eli.org for possible inclusion in our weekly newsletter.

- ***NEW* Director**, Office of Compliance, Washington, DC – US EPA
- ***NEW* Legal Secretary II**, Austin, TX – Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
- ***NEW* Senior Staff Attorney**, Oakland, CA – San Francisco Baykeeper
- ***NEW* Legal Fellow**, New York, NY – Institute for Policy Integrity
- ***NEW* Summer Law Clerks**, New York, NY – Institute for Policy Integrity
- ***NEW* Staff Attorney** - Brazil Project, DC/Lima – EarthRights International
- ***NEW* Ocean Conservation Incentives Legal Fellow**, Honolulu, HI – Conservation International
- ***NEW* Staff Attorney**, DC/NY/PA – Hausfeld LLP
- ***NEW* Legal Fellow**, Transportation, Methane, and NAAQS, Boulder, CO – Environmental Defense Fund
- ***NEW* Director**, Energy Policy, Europe, Belgium – Environmental Defense Fund
- ***NEW* Manager**, Environmental Policy, Arlington, VA – American Public Power Association
- ***NEW* Legal Fellow** (Two-Year Term), ME/MA/NH – Conservation Law Foundation
- ***NEW* Environmental and Energy Attorney**, NY/NJ/FL/ON – Hodgson Russ LLP
- ***NEW* Paralegal Specialist**, Atlanta, GA – US EPA, Reg 4, ORC, Office of General Law, Criminal Law and Cross-Office Support
- ***NEW* Attorney Advisor**, Washington, DC – DC Dept of Energy and Environment
- ***NEW* Environmental & Land Use - Associate**, Washington, DC – Alston & Bird
- **Associate Attorney**, Albany, NY – NY State OGC, Bureau of Energy and Climate Change
- **Counsel**, Environmental and Litigation, Corning, NY – Corning
- **Climate Risk and Financial Regulations Legal Fellow**, Washington, DC – Environmental Defense Fund
- **Policy Manager**, Sacramento, CA – California Environmental Justice Alliance
- **Senior Attorney** - Environmental Law, West Palm Beach, FL – South Florida Water Management District
- **Supervisory, Attorney-Advisor**, Washington, DC – US EPA, OECA, OCE, WCED, WEB
- **Litigation Paralegal**, Seattle, WA – Earthjustice
- **Climate Justice Advisor**, The New York State Climate Action Council, NY – NYSERDA
- **Senior Attorney**, Albany, NY – NY State OGC, Bureau of Energy and Climate Change
- **Attorney** (Energy), New York, NY – Institute for Policy Integrity
- **Fall 2021 Law Clerk**, Boulder, CO – Colorado Judicial Branch
- **Senior Staff Attorney/Senior Attorney** (Natural Resources and Environment Law), Washington, DC – US GAO
- **Environmental Attorney**, Washington, DC – US CIA, OGC
- **Trial Attorney**, Washington, DC – US DOJ, ENRD, Land Acquisition Section
- **Water and Natural Resources Attorney**, Bend, OR – Jordan Ramis PC
- **Clean Energy and Climate Attorney**, VT – Conservation Law Foundation
- **Attorney-Advisor**, Washington, DC – US EPA Office of General Counsel
- **Director** of Strategic Legal Advocacy, CA/DC/Remote – Earthjustice

- Staff **Attorney**, International, San Francisco, CA – Earthjustice

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Upcoming Events of Interest:

You may log in to access direct links to these non-ELI events via the [Workshops, Conferences & Seminars Board](#).

- **Dec. 21**, Webinar – Political Fallout: Nuclear Weapons Testing and the Making of a Global Environmental Crisis
- *NEW* **Jan. 7**, Webinar – ARPA-E in 2020 and Beyond
- *NEW* **Jan. 12**, Webinar – Natural Gas Pipelines: Precedent or Unprecedented?
- *NEW* **Jan. 13**, Webinar – REACH 30/30
- *NEW* **Jan. 13**, Webinar – Tort Law, A Powerful Tool in the Environmental Litigation Toolbox
- *NEW* **Jan. 13**, Webinar – TSCA 30/30
- *NEW* **Jan. 15, 21 & 26**, Webinar Series – MISO Distributed Energy Resources Virtual Seminars
- *NEW* **Jan. 19**, Webinar – DC EcoWomen: January 2021 EcoHour
- *NEW* **Jan. 19**, Webinar – Making 2021 the Year We Break Fossil Fuel Addiction
- *NEW* **Jan. 19**, Webinar – This Moment in Climate With Michael Mann and Leah Stokes
- *NEW* **Jan. 21**, Webinar – New Winery General Water Discharge Requirements
- *NEW* **Jan. 21**, Webinar – Friday Fundamentals: Wetland Protection Act 101

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